

**HAZARDOUS WASTE SECTION - COMPLIANCE BRANCH
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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
DIVISION OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

HAZARDOUS WASTE SECTION
ACTIVITY REPORT

SUBJECT: The Quilting Solution
REASON FOR VISIT: Complaint Investigation
ADDRESS: 277 Devil Track Road
CITY, STATE, ZIP: Taylorsville, NC 28681
BY WHOM: Ernest Lawrence - Environmental Senior Specialist

DATE INVESTIGATION OPENED 8/22/2016

PERSON CONTACTED Jennifer Kay 864-275-7079 www.sidesaddlequilting.com

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REPORT:

An anonymous complaint about The Quilting Solution was sent to the Solid Waste Section on August 19 and forwarded to the Hazardous Waste Solution. The complaint alleged that there were ten 55-gallon and thirty 5-gallon containers of polyurethane and wood stain which had leaked onto the soil.

The facility assembles computer hardware to install on quilting machines. The facility consists of Ms. Kay's home and four buildings, including a greenhouse and storage sheds. The facility has 10 acres and only the two family employees. The facility is a conditionally exempt generator.

Approximately thirty 55-gallon containers were observed in and just outside a greenhouse. These were filled with a type of stone that is used in aquaponics. The containers did not appear to have previously held any type of chemicals. One 5-gallon container of stain was observed but it was still in use. No containers of chemicals leaking onto the soil were observed.



Ms. Kay stated that the complainant was George Overton who had been evicted from the property for non-payment of rent. He had used a shed for a woodworking shop.

CONCLUSIONS:

The Quilting Solution is a conditionally exempt generator. No violations were observed. No evidence of leaking containers on site was observed.

For questions about this activity report contact Ernest Lawrence at 336-352-5742.

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